

Monthly STD/HIV Epi Update

Cases diagnosed from January 1 to August 31, 2004

gonorrhea: 156

- comparison with year-to-date (YTD) 2002 and 2003:
YTD 2002: **75% increase**
YTD 2003: **16% increase**
- proportion of males who have sex with males (MSM): **36%**
- gonorrhea/HIV co-infection: **6 cases**

syphilis: 2

- comparison with YTD 2002 and 2003:
YTD 2002: **equal**
YTD 2003: **decrease of 8 cases**

chlamydia: 1,333

- comparison with YTD 2002 and 2003:
YTD 2002: **23% increase**
YTD 2003: **<1% increase**

HIV: 28

- comparison with YTD 2002 and 2003:
YTD 2002: **increase of 7 cases**
YTD 2003: **decrease of 11 cases**
- proportion of MSM: **68%**